HOUSE BILL 3750 By Fitzhugh

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to elementary and secondary school pupils.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

49-6-___.

It shall be the duty of each local education agency to integrate a minimum of thirty (30) minutes of physical activity three (3) times per week into the instructional school day for elementary and secondary school students.

Opportunities to engage in physical activity may include walking, jumping rope, playing volleyball, or other forms of physical activities that promote fitness and well-being.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006, the public welfare requiring it.